

In yesterday's account of the city council meeting of Tuesday night we read that residents of the Columbus road area appeared before the city government with a promise that the municipal water and light plant would extend electric lines to that section.

The municipal plant has a franchise to do business within a seven-mile radius of the city. In recent years the city government has taken a progressive attitude toward rural electrification, but it wasn't always that way. This is the story of the seven-mile rural franchise—

The Star had pushed editorially for expansion of the city's rural lines to that section ago, but only out-of-town service then being to the Fruit & Truck Branch Experiment Station and a short way to the Rosston highway. Citizens of Spring Hill, Patmos, Columbus and other rural communities appeared before the city council and asked for help. But the city had no state franchise to operate outside its own boundaries—and there was a feeling among many townsmen that the municipal plant belonged exclusively to the citizens of Hope. So nothing was done about obtaining a state franchise to do business in the country.

About this time I saw a small item in Arkansas Gazette reporting that the late Harvey C. Couch, president of Arkansas Power & Light Co., would appear personally in DeAnn to decide the problem of new rural line serving that community. An examination showed me that the southward extension of the DeAnn line came within about a mile of the northmost poles of the Hope municipal plant. It was clear that the private utility was moving in to the very gates of our town.

I photographed Mr. Couch and the DeAnn folks at their electric party and spread the pictures in next day's Star. That week the city council decided the problem by fixing a seven-mile radius as our share of the rural territory—and since then we've gotten rural electric lines and a share of grief, too.

Grief goes along with rural operations, because they cost money and don't yield the profits that are reaped in closely packed town business. But if Hope is going to remain in the municipal electric field it has got to take care of its farm neighbors.

The purpose of this editorial is to help back up the aldermen and mayor and municipal plan as they plod along the slow and expensive pathway to rural electrification. For this is an obligation that the nearest generating plant has to perform, whether the municipal or private. The people on the farm have just as much right today to demand electric light and power as the people in town—and town people who think differently ought to be kicked out into the country and go to live by an oil lamp until they learn how to believe like a good neighbor.

Most Dixiecrats Keep Mum As Rabble Rousers Join Up By JAMES T. WATSON

Not so long ago Henry Wallace announced his third party than the Communists had adopted it. Now the Dixiecrats of the states' rights movement have picked up an equally unsavory pack. And, like the Wallaceites, the Dixiecrats are going to have a tough time shaking their unwelcome attendants.

Their presidential candidate, Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina, has tried to shoo them off. "We do not invite, nor do we need the support of the Dixiecrats," he said, "or any other rabble rousers who use race prejudice and class hatred to inflame the emotions of our people."

Governor Thurmond also asserted that the movement which he heads "is not based on racial or class prejudice, but on the rights of the people to live in peace and harmony." His record bears out that assertion as far as he, personally, is concerned. He is a foe of lynchings and of poll taxes, however bitterly he may object to federal support of his opposition by law.

Some of the governor's fellow Dixiecrats seem to have given the rabble rousers a different idea. Perhaps it was statements like that of Gov. Fielding Wright, Governor Thurmond's running mate, who told the Negroes of Mississippi in a radio address that if they expected social equality with whites in restaurants and schools they had better leave the state.

Or it might have been some of the more conventional speeches that set the pace of rabble rousers yipping at the Dixiecrats' heels. Speeches like the one by former Gov. Frank M. Dixon of Alabama, who warned that passage of the civil rights proposals would force the "tarnishing of our state and make Southern into a mongrel, inferior race."

So the Gerald L. K. Smiths and the rest might be forgiven for inferring from such speeches as these that the states' rights movement has at least a fringe of racial prejudice, and perhaps a trace of racial hate.

At any rate, Brother Smith was at the convention, as a delegate. And it was reported that some 20 more noted Kluxers, anti-Semites,

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Star's New 'Phone

Numbers on Double

Line 1268 & 1269

Effective at once Hope Star's old telephone number 769 is discontinued and the new numbers are 1268 and 1269.

A permanent double line has been installed in the newspaper office, and a call to either number will in the event that one is busy, be switched automatically to the other line.

Installation of the double line, planned years ago, has finally been made possible by release of war-strapped materials to Southwestern Bell Telephone company.

## Price Rebellion Drastically Cuts Sales Over U. S.

By United Press

Butchers across the country reported today that the housewives' rebellion against high meat prices has cut sales drastically in the last few days.

The organized movement to halt the rise of living costs was still spreading. And even where there were no organized buyers strike, housewives were simply refusing to buy high priced meat cuts.

Arthur E. Dennis, vice-president of the National Meat Council, said that resistance to high prices had reduced sales sharply.

But, Dennis predicted, the price situation will be much worse by winter. He said he saw no sign of relief.

Philadelphia retailers reported that retail sales are running 20 per cent below those of last August.

Theodore Nicol, president of the Cincinnati Retail Dealers Association, said meat consumption was down 25 per cent. One butcher said he had cut pork purchases 75 per cent and hotel officials said high prices might force them to take expensive meats off their menus.

Butchers at Detroit, Denver, and Minneapolis also reported reduced sales although no full-scale organized price strikes had developed in those cities.

Two Northern Kentucky pack-houses reported that they were planning to lay off help because of decreased orders.

Los Angeles butchers said that sales of high priced beef had dropped during the last five weeks. Writhe sales of fresh and frozen fish, canned meats, canned fish and lower priced cuts of beef had increased.

The organized revolt against spiraling meat prices spread to the west coast today. Los Angeles homemakers urged friends to select 100 names from the telephone book and pass the word along.

Peter Kavanagh, of San Francisco recruited a group of other housewives. They divided up the city's telephone book and began phoning subscribers, asking them to join the crusade.

"I'd just been sitting around waiting for someone else to do something about prices," she said. "At last I thought I'd better do something myself."

In Oakland, Cal., Mrs. Earl J. Rock, president of the Alameda County Federation of Women's Clubs sent out a bulletin asking the 3,400 members to stay away from butcher shops until prices drop.

Mrs. Hugh Bell, Fresno, Cal., mother of four children, announced calling 10 friends daily in a chain telephone campaign. She asked them to spread the word to others to give up meat for three weeks. If prices don't drop in that time, she said, the strike will be extended.

Meanwhile, the lady who started it all was still plugging away in Dallas, Tex.

Mrs. R. D. Vaughn sat at a battered card table in her home, giving long distance advice to people across the country on how to set up their own campaigns.

She said a man named Tom Cross called from Baltimore, Md., to tell her that he and nine other men planned to start a price strike in the Eastern city.

Women in at least 12 Texas cities are now conducting strikes, she said.

At the same time the company reduced the price of its six-cylinder business coupe by \$5.

Washington, Aug. 5 — (AP)—President Truman today granted the special session of Congress approval of \$65,000,000 loan to the United Nations for establishment of a permanent home in New York City.

House passage of a bill previously voted by the Senate completed congressional action. The standing vote was 161 to 27.

Olympic Pool, Wembley, England, Aug. 5 — (AP)—Joe Verdeur of Philadelphia set an Olympic record of 2:40 flat tonight in winning his heat of the 200-meter breast stroke swimming competition.

U. S. Communists Start Big Scale Recruiting Drive

New York, Aug. 5 — (UP)—The Communist Party, which claims a membership of "more than any in the United States, launched a new drive today to recruit hundreds of thousands of American workers.

Henry Winston, organization secretary and one of the 12 top Communists indicted recently for plotting to overthrow the government, told the 14th annual convention to organize a bigger and stronger party to overcome increasing "attacks by the enemy."

He said at the present time the party has 1,700 community clubs, 300 in factories, 425 in industry, 200 professional branches and 200 student and youth clubs.

## Truman Accuses Congress of 'Feeble Compromises', Urges Action Before Adjournment

### Housing Bill Dropped; TEW Issue Up

Washington, Aug. 5 — (AP)—The Senate Banking Committee today threw out a housing bill prepared by a Senate House subcommittee and voted to send an amended version of the Taft-Elender-Wagner bill to the Senate floor.

Chairman Tobey (R-NH) said the surprise action was taken by a 7 to 5 vote.

Sen. Flanders (R-Vt) offered the motion to substitute an amended version of the T-E-W bill for the subcommittee bill drafted principally by Senator McCarthy (R-Wis).

The T-E-W bill contains provisions for slum clearance and public housing. The subcommittee bill did not.

It was understood before the committee meeting that McCarthy's measure had been given tentative approval by key Republicans in both houses. It was designed principally to spur production of low cost homes and large-scale rental properties. It did not provide for government-financed housing.

McCarthy told reporters he will fight on the Senate floor to substitute the subcommittee measure for the approved bill.

He predicted that if the Senate passes the modified T-E-W bill there will be no housing passed at the extra session.

McCarthy said the House leadership would not permit the bill to go to conference, it passed by the Senate.

Tobey, Flanders and Senator Sparkman (D-Ala) disputed this.

"My guess is that it will go to conference," Flanders said. He added that he would not predict what will come out of conference.

D-Ney, Maybank (D-SC), Taylor (D-Tx) and the modified T-E-W bill.

He listed Senators Buck (R-Del), Cain (R-Wash.), Bricker (R-Ohio), McCarthy and Robertson (D-Va) as opposing the move.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio), one of the authors of the T-E-W bill attended the meeting.

Cain said Taft recommended that the committee report out the McCarthy bill. He said Taft expressed the view that advocates of public housing and slum clearance should offer such provisions as amendments to the subcommittee bill during debate on the floor. Taft had said that he would support a public housing amendment.

Crump's endorsement of a candidate in the past has meant anything from 40,000 to 60,000 Shelby county votes and the candidates he had supported have almost always won.

In today's Democratic primary Crump is backing Gov. Jim McCard for a third term and Circuit Judge John A. Mitchell for U. S. senator.

Rep. Estes Kefauver is Mitchell's opponent and he confronts the Crump Shelby county organization with one of the sharpest challenges it has faced in more than a quarter of a century.

Also seeking the Democratic senatorial nomination is Sen. Tom Stewart, out for his third term. It is his first try without Crump's endorsement.

Crump threw his decisive Shelby county support to Stewart six years ago, but shouldered him aside this year in favor of Mitchell, Stewart's aggressive campaign, however, has aligned with him many organizations which heretofore have followed Crump's lead.

Kefauver's nine-month campaign has blanketed the state and a Kefauver organization in Memphis has been fighting Crump on his home ground.

Crump in turn has attacked Kefauver's campaign and despite the Crump opposition he expects to poll up to 30,000 votes in Shelby county to split the customarily solid vote for the first time in the history of most Tennessee politicians.

Furthermore, says Kefauver, who banks heavily on his 10-year record in Congress and his strong advocacy of the TVA, he plans to be in Memphis during the voting today.

Former Governor Gordon Browning, who broke with Crump in 1937, opposes McCord for the Democratic nomination for Governor. He has campaigned vigorously with a cry against "one-man rule."

In the Republican primary, the senatorial aspirants are Carroll Reece, former GOP national chairman, and Allen J. Strawbridge, President lawyer. Seeking the Republican gubernatorial nomination are Mayor Robert M. Murray of Huntington and Radio Entertainer Roy Acuff.

Washington, Aug. 5 — (AP)—President Truman today accused the 80th Congress of concealing "feeble compromises on its anti-inflation program. He called on the Republican leadership to reconsider plans to quit soon.

In a formal statement read to his news conference, Mr. Truman said:

"There is still time for the Congress to fulfill its responsibilities to the American people. Our people will not be satisfied with the feeble compromises that apparently are being concocted."

Mr. Truman said it now appears that the Republican-controlled Congress is determined to take no effective action "to curb high prices and to protect the average American citizen against the certain prospect of increased living costs."

He said the Republican leadership has decided Congress "will not be allowed to consider really effective measures to stop high prices."

The president accused Rep. Wolcott (R-Mich), chairman of the House Banking Committee, of refusing a request for three cabinet members to be given an opportunity to testify before Wolcott's group.

Mr. Truman spoke out as GOP leaders drove ahead with plans for adjournment Saturday, or at least by next Tuesday.

In making their early adjournment plans, the Republicans ignored most of the president's recommendations to the extra session.

Accusing committees of taking no action on his program Mr. Truman said:

Secretary of Agriculture Brannan was prepared to offer a program "directed to the problem of excessive food prices."

Secretary of Commerce Sawyer wanted to discuss corrections of "shocking industrial materials shortages."

Secretary of Interior Krug had a program to deal with distribution and prices of coal, heating oil and other fuels.

The House Banking Committee refused to hear these three cabinet members, the president said.

Likewise, Mr. Truman said, the Ways and Means Committee of the House refused to consider an excess profits tax he regards as necessary "to offset the inflationary impact of the tax bill passed last spring."

He said Rep. Knutson (R-Minn), the chairman of this committee, "has not even called a meeting."

The program which Republicans are proposing to handle before their projected early quitting time includes:

1. A GOP anti-inflation program limited to controls over time payment buying and some tightening of bank credit through added reserves.

2. A housing bill aimed at government aid in producing more homes in the \$4,500 to \$6,000 class.

3. A \$65,000,000 loan to the United Nations to build some of the many structures needed for the New York City headquarters site.

Senator Taft of Ohio, chairman of the Republican policy committee told a reporter "there is a good chance" that the entire program can be pushed through in time to end the special session this week-end.

He added, however, that he does not want another late Saturday night session like the June wind-up.

One of the major obstacles to ending the "turnip day" session called by President Truman was hurled last yesterday when the Senate put the anti-poll tax bill back on the shelf.

A group of Southern members continued on Page Two

## House Passes Anti-Inflation Measure

Washington, Aug. 5 — (AP)—The House today passed a Republican anti-inflation bill after blocking consideration of President Truman's limited price, rationing and wage control program.

The vote was 264 to 97, or 23 more than the two-thirds necessary for passage under a suspension of rules that limited debate to 40 minutes and barred all amendments to the GOP measure.

Just before its passage, President Truman assailed the bill as "feeble compromises" in the fight against inflation, and some Democrats predicted prompt veto.

The bill was sent to the Senate, under a top-speed GOP time table that aims at adjourning the special session of Congress Saturday night.

It provides:

1. A return to wartime curbs on time payment buying, as the president had asked.

2. Moderate tightening of bank credit, on a smaller scale than Mr. Truman proposed.

3. A boost in federal bank gold administration opposition.

Rep. Monroney (D-Okla) shouldered the bill to the House that it is a "phony" bill that would endanger the government program to hold up the value of our own bonds.

But Banking Chairman Wolcott (R-Mich), author of the bill, contended this was not true. He told the House that since the banking group approved the bill yesterday some government bonds, in response, actually have increased in price.

Missing Plane Found, All Reported Alive

Paris, Aug. 5 — (UP)—The French Press agency said today that Air France had received a dispatch saying the Latecoere 631 flying boat missing in the South Atlantic last Sunday had been found with all 52 aboard alive.

The agency dispatch reporting without immediate confirmation the discovery of the big flying boat was from Marseille. It said Air France, the national air line which operated the plane, had been notified.

Air France headquarters in Paris said it had no information to confirm the Marseille dispatch. The press agency itself cautioned that the report should be "treated with reserve."

According to the unofficial report, the craft was found 120 miles south of the point from which it last reported all well about midnight Sunday.

It was flying from Martinique to West Africa with 40 passengers and a crew of 12.

The last radio report was sent from a point some 1,400 miles west of the African coast and 400 miles north of the Cape Verde Islands.

The Latecoere is the biggest commercial air liner in the world. It has a takeoff weight of about 83 tons, is 141 feet long, and has a wingspread of 166 feet.

The first hint of hope for the 52 aboard the plane was aroused yesterday by vague reports of the interception of weak radio messages which might have come from it.

The air and sea forces engaged in the search, including eight American heavy bombers, renewed their efforts and sought to plot the possible origin of the signals.

## Beauty May Be Only Skin Deep But Its Too Deep for Me—It May Worry Congress Also

By HAL BOYLE

New York — (AP)—Does Congress want the American woman to stay beautiful?

Well, if it does, it had better start forking out some cash.

This is the advice of Mrs. Veronica Dengel, a beauty engineer, who says the high cost of keeping beautiful is pricing many women right out of the market.

"Beauty is so important," she said, "that there should be national beauty clinics subsidized by federal funds which would bring beauty within the reach of every woman."

Mrs. Dengel thinks women have every bit as much right to a face of beauty as they have to a face of poverty.

There are government subsidies for almost every type of education except for the all-important one of enabling American women to learn how to be and remain a beautiful, healthy creature.

And this is vital necessity to preserve marriages in the face of today's alarming divorce rate.

Mrs. Dengel has been campaigning for some time for equal rights for the beautiful, healthy creature.

Congress should repeal the 29 percent tax on cosmetics, she said, because lipstick, powder and rouge are as essential to a woman's shaving cream is to a man, but the man doesn't pay a luxury tax on his whisker cream.

Congress should also consider the most beautiful in the world, Mrs. Dengel regards this as "one of the dividends of democracy."

As long as we have beautiful women," she said, "our men would slaughter any foreign foe."

So she puts it up to Congress to save America by saving its own beauty.

Mrs. Dengel's views were given

## Charges Hurlled Freely by Gubernatorial Candidates; Holt, MacKrell Here Tonight

By BOB BROWN

Little Rock, Aug. 5 — (UP)—Gubernatorial candidate Sid McMackrell charged today that his opponent, Jack Holt, promised to pardon former Hot Springs City Attorney Jay Rowland as his "first official act" as governor of Arkansas. Holt immediately denied the charge.

Candidate for Governor Jack Holt will speak at the Hempstead county courthouse lawn at 8 o'clock tonight (Thursday). His address will be broadcast over a statewide network.

Mr. Holt will be accompanied here by James (Uncle Mac) MacKrell and his quartet.

"My statement," said the former Arkansas attorney general, "was that the small fry in Garland county ought to be pardoned if McMackrell could not convict the ring-leaders there. I did not say I would do it."

McMackrell's charge in a press conference early today and said that he planned to repeat it in speeches at Heber Springs this afternoon and at Walnut Ridge tonight.

"I'm going to explain in detail at Walnut Ridge the Jay Rowland case," the young prosecutor said.

Rowland was indicted early last year along with former Hot Springs Mayor Leo P. McLaughlin. He was convicted and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary on a bribery charge. His conviction was upheld by the Arkansas Supreme court.

McMackrell stated that "Jack said in eastern Arkansas the named Helena and Newport as specific locations that his first official act would be to pardon Jay Rowland."

Holt has been attacking McMackrell's record as a prosecutor for several days, and was answered today.

"My opponent has made a great deal to do about the small number of cases I have tried and won," McMackrell declared.

"It is true that Mr. Holt has tried more cases than I have in court. There was a period from August, 1940, to February, 1946, when I did not have the opportunity to be in the courtroom as my opponent did," McMackrell said.

During that period I was engaged in active service. I believe to be more important to this country than looking after my own private law practice.

"As to the number of convictions which I have obtained as prosecuting attorney in Garland county, I would like to say that during that period I accomplished more in a year and half for my district and for the state than did my opponent during his entire two years as attorney general."

Answering an inferred charge that McMackrell would be spending his next two years running for the U. S. Senate, the Hot Springs prosecutor said:

"It is my desire to serve two terms as governor of the state of Arkansas. The program which I advocate can be accomplished in no less time."

McMackrell also promised a revision of Arkansas' antiquated tax system.

He promised to cut the tax on gasoline for agricultural use from six to two cents and the tax on cigarettes from six to four cents per pack.

And he charged that the present high tax on cigarettes is losing money for the state of Arkansas.

"One tobacco mail order house in Missouri grossed \$1,500,000 on cigarettes shipped outside the state last year," he said. "Its greatest market was Arkansas."

McMackrell, speaking at Jonesboro, Holt again charged that ex-Governor Carl Bailey and Homer Atkins are backing McMackrell and his highway bond proposals. And he promised that if elected governor he would not spend the next two years running for the United States Senate.

Holt again attacked McMackrell's record as prosecuting attorney and defended his proposal to borrow \$100,000 from the states' surplus to present funds for highway purposes.

Holt will be in Hope tonight and will speak over the Arkansas radio network at 8 o'clock.

McMackrell will speak in Walnut Ridge tonight and will address a meeting of east Arkansas supporters from seven counties in Forrest City tomorrow night. Counties to be represented include St. Francis, Phillips, Crittenden, Lee, Cross, Woodruff and Monroe.

Two Killed in Accidents in Arkansas

By The Associated Press

Highway accidents claimed two lives in Arkansas yesterday.

Noland Jarrett, 22, of Marked Tree, was injured fatally when his truck collided with another near Marked Tree.

Wendell Price, five of near Beebe, was killed when he was struck by an automobile as he walked from a school bus five miles west of Beebe.

NEGRO'S BODY FOUND

El Dorado, Aug. 5 — (AP)—The body of an unidentified Negro girl, about 19, was found near here late yesterday.

Cotner Tom Barton said she apparently was the victim of a slaying. He said she probably had been dead since Saturday.

## Mackrell Denies He Offered to Sell to McMackrell

Little Rock, Aug. 5 — (UP)—James E. (Uncle Mac) MacKrell denied today that through an emissary he had offered to sell his support in the run-off campaign to gubernatorial candidate Sid McMackrell.

The denial came after McMackrell's statewide radio broadcast charged that "James MacKrell sent an emissary to me and offered his support for \$15,000 down and \$10,000 when the election was over on the further contention that he permitted to name both the revenue commissioner and the commissioner of education."

"Needless to say, said MacKrell, "as events indicate, the proposition was flatly refused."

MacKrell is now acting as campaign manager for Jack Holt, McMackrell's opponent in the run-off campaign.

In denying the charge the Little Rock radio evangelist hurled counter blasts of his own.

Reached by newsmen in Jonesboro, where he accompanied Holt last night, MacKrell said:

"Before the first primary," Mr. MacKrell offered me \$5,000 to help me in my campaign. After the primary, Sid McMackrell took my hand and said he would give me \$15,000 cash and \$10,000 after the election to remain neutral and stay out of the run-off campaign."

Mr. MacKrell sent several of his friends to see the Holt before the preferential primary, and after, in an effort to secure my support. His friends know that I refused to take any money from him."

MacKrell said he did ask McMackrell "to adopt the first three planks of my platform. First, to put the welfare of the people first; second, to give us the hospitals that we need; and third, to give us the schools and roads that we need."

He would not give me this assurance, MacKrell said. First, Mr. McMackrell could not get my support they got mad and have attacked my character with silly statements and cartoons."

In making his charge, McMackrell said he was "making the record straight as MacKrell has 'stated that I offered him \$25,000 for his support.' He called such a statement 'absurd and ridiculous.'"

"I don't need his support in order to receive the vote and support of the good people who were misled by him," McMackrell said.

In a lengthy address McMackrell promised to "exercise every power" in the governor's office to obtain the "



# Market Report

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, Aug. 5 — After standing still almost the entire session, the grain market renewed its decline during the last half hour of trading today. Losses were confined mostly to fractions, although running to more than a cent at times in corn.

Dealings were not active. However, grain men expressed disappointment at the inability of the market to rally considering recent weakness. Apparently it was this fact, rather than any news developments, which caused the market to slip towards the close.

Wheat closed 1-2 - 1 1-2 lower. September \$2.21 1-2 - 58, corn was 1 cent lower to 34 higher. September \$1.81 38 - 58, oats were 1-2 lower to 18 higher. September 72-72 1-2, oats were unchanged to 14 higher. December \$1.67, and soy beans were 1-2 to 3 cents higher. November \$2.67 1-2.

## NEW ORLEANS COTTON

New Orleans, Aug. 5 — (A) — Cotton futures were irregular here today with the distant positions much stronger than the near. Closing prices were steady to 40 cents a bale higher to 25 cents lower. Oct high 31.65 — low 31.51 — close 31.54-55.

Dec high 31.76 — low 31.64 — close 31.69-66.

Mar high 31.77 — low 31.70 — close 31.74-77.

May high 31.72 — low 31.60 — close 31.68.

July high 31.29 — low 31.22 — close 31.24.

Spot wheat was steady today; basis steady to a cent higher; receipts 363 cars. Corn was about unchanged, basis one to two cents higher; bookings 117,000 bushels; receipts 68 cars. Oats were unchanged; basis unchanged; shipping sales 53,000 bushels; receipts 449 cars. Soybeans receipts were five cars.



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## Daily Bread

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anti-Negroes, anti-foreigners and similar tagging and bottling were on hand, active both on the floor and behind the scenes.

The trouble is that denunciations by a party leader are not enough. Mr. Wallace tried to reject Communist support in a year-but sort of way. No one, however, has heard a concerted howl of protest at the Communist support from the rank and file of the Wallace party. Similarly, we haven't heard the champions of states' rights shouting a thunderous "Amen" to Governor Thurmond's blast at the rabble rousers.

The two new parties have further

trouble in the vagueness of their stand. Mr. Wallace says he is a loyal American and a capitalist. Yet he seems to favor appeasement of Russia even if it means that all of Europe is to be conquered by communism. Governor Thurmond seems to favor civil rights on a sort of segregated basis, but only optional civil rights for the states and not a federal guarantee of those rights implicit in the Constitution.

It is not hard to see, then, why the Communists and the Antis might think they had joined up with the right outfits, no matter how much the leaders of the new parties shake their fists and yell "Seal!"

Most so-called Panama hats are made in Ecuador.

## Truman

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days by filibuster tactics.

Republican senators agreed at a long morning huddle to drop the civil rights battle for this year. But the actual sidetracking didn't come until late in the day.

Just as the filibuster was never against the anti-poll tax bill itself, only against a motion to take up the bill—the end of the battle came on a parliamentary maneuver, too.

Heretofore, the Senate has been recessing at the end of each day, leaving the poll tax motion as the order of business.

Yesterday, however, the Republicans proposed that the Senate adjourn for the night—a step that

would clear the calendar of the poll tax motion.

Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the Democratic leader and Mr. Truman's vice presidential running mate, bitterly protested this surrender on the civil rights issue.

"The Senate cannot forever go on and admit to the American people that it is impossible to function," he declared.

But when the roll was called, 24 Democrats joined with the solidly voting 43 Republicans to snow under the administration forces by a count of 69 to 16.

"We were not going to stay here for three or four weeks or longer just to try to break this filibuster," Taft said. "We (Republicans) are agreed that a change in Senate rules to permit it to act will be the first thing we take up at the next session."

Taft's reference was to the Senate rule for invoking "cloture." This device shuts off debate, but under current interpretations of the rules it can be applied only when an actual bill is before the Senate—not when the chamber is debating a motion as was the case in the poll tax fight.

Taft said the idea of changing the rule was left over for the next session because "it probably will take three or four weeks. What he meant was that the Southerners probably will filibuster against that, too.

There had been some talk of a possible compromise on the civil rights issue. The Dixie members indicated they would not filibuster against a proposal to outlaw poll taxes by means of a constitutional

amendment. This would require a two-thirds vote in both House and Senate and approval by 36 of the 48 states.

But the conference of Republican senators decided against this procedure.

However, Democratic Senators Tydings and O'Connor of Maryland introduced just such a proposal with this comment from Tydings: "If the Republicans really want to eliminate the poll tax, here's their opportunity. Let them put up or shut up."

Taft and other leaders conceded that they face a tight time table in trying to jam through their program this week.

Colombia, Ecuador and Venezuela have had a joint merchant fleet for many years.

# Which Side of Your Mouth Were You Talking Out of This Time, Jack?

JACK HOLT

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Dear Mr. Gray:

In the near future I hope to have the opportunity of seeing you and personally discussing with you the Governor's race;

In the meantime, if you have not already committed yourself to another candidate, I would greatly appreciate your support.

My headquarters are at the Gleason Hotel, and I would be most happy if you would come by to see me and discuss the problems you are most interested in.

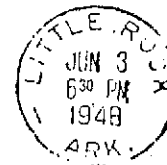
Hoping that I may have the opportunity of seeing you soon.

Sincerely yours,

*Jack Holt*  
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**Civil Rights  
"My Baby,"  
Holt Says**

Candidate to Make  
Racial Question  
Keynote of Campaign.

By GEORGE DOUTHETT  
(Democrat Staff Writer.)

"The civil rights issue is my baby, and I can't talk about it enough." That's the way Jack Holt today described the subject which he plans to press throughout his campaign for governor against Sid McMath. They meet in the run-off primary August 10.

Holt, former attorney general who days ran second to McMath in the

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# Social and Personal

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 9 A. M. and 4 P. M.

## Social Calendar

**Friday, August 6**  
There will be a Square Dance at the Hope Youth Center, Friday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Mrs. John Harrie will call the dances. All members are urged to be present.

**Sunday, August 8**  
The MYF of the First Methodist church will have a picnic swim. Sunday, August 8 at 7:30 o'clock. Everyone is invited. Girls are asked to bring sandwiches and the boys are asked to bring cold drinks and cookies.

**Morning Party at Mrs. Malcolm Porterfield's**  
Mrs. Malcolm Porterfield and Mrs. Tom Kinser were hostesses at a morning party given in the home of Mrs. Porterfield, Wednesday morning at ten o'clock. The house was beautifully decorated with arrangements of pastel shades of summer flowers.

**Coming and Going**  
Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Fuller and daughter, Marsha Ann left Wednesday for a vacation trip to Springfield and Marshfield, Missouri. On their return home, they will visit Mrs. Fuller's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Stinson of Little Rock and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spence in Malvern.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Arnett and

children, Jacqueline and Larry left today for a two week visit in Red Bluff, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kinser, Jr. and daughter, Sherry Lynn of Los Angeles, California arrived Tuesday for a visit with Mr. Kinser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kinser, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Murphy and daughter Betty and granddaughter, Terry Ann Trapp left this morning for Conway, Arkansas to visit Mr. and Mrs. Steven LeRoy Murphy, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Beene were Wednesday visitors in Texarkana.

Misses Mae, Louise and Elsie Elder are now domiciled at 805 South Main Street.

Mrs. Pat Casey and Mrs. A. E. Slusser motored to Texarkana Wednesday morning for the annual Homecoming Game at Bramble Park.

Mrs. Joe Jones, Miss Opal Daniels, Mrs. Bernard Dunn and Bernard Earl, Mrs. Juana Stanford and Richard Stanford motored to Texarkana Wednesday evening to attend the Home Merchants vs. College Hill Softball Game at Bramble Park.

Joe Mack Bearden, 2nd Class Yeoman, is spending a thirty-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bearden here. Joe Mack is stationed with the Pacific Reserve Fleet in Seattle, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Magness of Emmet have returned from a vacation in St. Louis where they attended a baseball game between the St. Louis Browns and the Washington Senators. Enroute they visited points of interest in the Ozarks.

Mrs. Ester Bell Bradford and little son, Wiley, have returned to their home in Fort Worth, Texas after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Jones.

## Hospital Notes

Branch Discharged: Mrs. Stephen Cook and baby son, Hope.

Julia Chester  
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. May, Jr. Hope, announce the arrival of a

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## The Doctor Says:

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M.D.  
Written for NEA Service

Encephalitis means inflammation of the brain. There are several varieties, but one of the best known has frequently been called American sleeping sickness because many of its victims have shown a tendency to sleep, sometimes for months or even years at a time.

All forms of encephalitis are caused by viruses, tiny living bodies too small to see under the ordinary microscope. They carry such strange names as Japanese type B encephalitis, St. Louis type encephalitis, Australian X disease, and Russian spring-summer encephalitis. Some of these may be caused by the same virus, but research workers are still somewhat uncertain about their relationships.

**Epidemics Occur**  
The "sleeping-type" of encephalitis often appears in small epidemics. The most constant symptoms during the early stages are headache, loss of interest in sleeping and vision, such as blurring of sight or seeing double.

After passing through the acute stage, a chronic phase is recognized. This is a progressive condition and the outlook is not good. There is unfortunately no known drug which can be used successfully to combat this condition.

A somewhat similar situation exists with the other forms of brain inflammation, although in some of them complete recovery can take place. However, once contracted at least two forms of encephalitis and certain kinds of mosquitoes transmit these virus infections to human beings.

Fortunately, all forms of encephalitis are rather rare, except for occasional epidemics. Prevention and treatment leave much to be desired, and, consequently, a great deal of research work on this subject is now going forward. More is needed.

Note: Dr. Jordan is unable to answer individual questions from readers. However, each day he will answer one of the most frequently asked questions in his column.

**QUESTION:** Are small doses of potassium iodide helpful in osteoarthritis?

**ANSWER:** Both sodium and potassium iodide have been given for many years for osteoarthritis. There is no real reason why these substances should be expected to help, but, nevertheless, some patients definitely state that iodides make them feel better.

## Dixiecrats to Open Campaign in Kentucky

Jackson, Miss., Aug. 5 (AP)—States' Rights Democrats will open their national campaign in Kentucky home state of Democratic vice-presidential candidate Alben Barkley next week.

Plans to invade Kentucky ballot battle were announced last night by national States Rights headquarters here.

son, Larry, August 5, 1948.  
Admitted:  
Brenda Fay Tuillis, Hope.  
Thomas McElroy Dillard, Saratoga.

Mrs. W. M. Cantley, Hope.  
Discharged:  
Miss Elia Marie McFadden, Lewisville.

Josephine  
Mr. and Mrs. George Rister, Rt. 1, Lewisville, announce the arrival of a daughter on August 4, 1948.

Discharged:  
Mrs. R. L. Searcy Jr., Lewisville.  
Mrs. Troy Butler and little son, Rt. 3, Hope.

# Bitter Reprieve

By Drexel Drake  
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## XXXIV

Ripley released his hold on the skinny wrist. The money went back into the side pocket of the checked sports coat.

"Are you telling me where you got the money or would you rather spill it at Headquarters?" Ripley asked.

"Where did I get it, I won it. I had a good day, and you're giving me out of another winner if I don't get down my bill."

"Five hundred on the nose, eh?" "Confidant's hot. Its in the bag, Geeze, let me get back to that window before the bell."

"What's wrong with the dough you elected on the last race?" "The dough in your pants pocket? Why bet those nice clean earnings?"

"Oh, so those nice clean earnings aren't winnings. Thought that was what you just tried to tell me." Ripley nudged the man sharply at the waistline and with that emphatic gesture his easy manner vanished. "Okay, bud, now let's drop the comedy. Let's have some answers. Who are you laying off bets for?"

"Whatta you mean, laying off bets?" "Just that. What bookie's giving you orders?"

"I ain't working for no bookie." "Where do you work?"

"Chicago." "Oh, Chicago. What are you doing here?"

"Vacation. Geeze, can't I have a vacation?" "If you're working, maybe you have a social security card."

Ripley had added that as nothing more than an unsettling jab. He was amazed when the small man shot back, "Sure I got one." The man dove a hand into his inside coat pocket, fumbled through a handful of papers, and stuck out a social security card toward the detective.

Ripley took it, glanced at it. "So you're Joe Steppo," he said. "What's wrong with that? You ain't got nothing on me."

"Maybe not," Ripley said. He whirled the man halfway around. He remembered the direction in which Steppo's right hand had started back at the window. Ripley patted the skinny hips. His knuckles hit something hard. His fingers darted under the sports coat and came out of a hip pocket with a mean black automatic pistol.

"Maybe you have a permit to pack this around during your vacation, right?"

Joe Steppo offered the only answer that could have surprised Gus Ripley. He squirmed under Ripley's reach and burrowed his way through the nearest queue of betters. At that instant, the rasping ringing of the bell announced the start of the race. Pandemonium ensued. The queues broke ranks and swarmed for the trackside. Ripley was no match for wriggling Joe Steppo worming his way deeply into that mass of frenzy. Joe Steppo was gone, leaving behind only his social security card and a stubby automatic pistol.

Talent swallowed his disappointment. Ripley hadn't spared himself in making his report.

"Tough break, Gus," Talent said. "Tough for both of us. But we ought to have Steppo in here without too much trouble. We'll see what we can get on him from Chicago, if he was telling you the truth. The social security number is a big help. You didn't fall down on the whole job."

Ripley threw back his shoulders. "There's only one way I can square myself, Lieut," he said. "I'll find Joe Steppo myself."

In a sense Detective Ripley made good on that promise. In the first gray light of Wednesday morning, a policeman was attracted by a shoe protruding from behind some piling near the river wall under Williamsburg

Bridge. The policeman ascertained that the shoe was on a foot, and that the foot was attached to a man's corpse wedged behind the piling. The body was clothed, but the pockets of the trousers as well as those of the checked sports coat were turned out. The man's skull had been battered out of shape.

Throughout the day, the body lay on a morgue slab, unidentified. As a matter of police routine, it became the turn of Detective Gus Ripley, in the early evening, to look at the body. Ripley looked at it at the heap of clothing, without comment. Half an hour later, he made his final report on Joe Steppo to Lieutenant Talent.

"So we've lost our link," Talent said. "Why would they rub him out?" Ripley asked.

"Someone may have thought it would be too dangerous to have Steppo picked up... afraid Steppo could have been induced to talk."

"And lead us to the punk that got that money, maybe Mrs. Sterling's murderer, right, Lieut?" "That's the link, an answer."

"But what gets me," Ripley said, "is why they didn't take off the clothes and toss the body in the river. With that smashed skull, after a couple days Steppo couldn't have been identified."

"Our friends wanted us to find Steppo's body and identify it." "But why, Lieut?"

"So we wouldn't have any reason to look for Steppo. Somebody would rather we didn't do much prying around in bookie circles, asking questions."

"Gee, then that's just what we ought to do."

"That's the long, hard road ahead, Gus."

(To Be Continued)

## Police Believe Thug Taken for a Ride

By ROBERT T. LOUGHRAN  
Chicago, Aug. 5 (UP)—Police believed today that "tough guy" George (Red) Smyth, was taken for a ride yesterday to repay him for his stick-up raids on hand books.

Smyth, sometimes known as "Smith," was found dead yesterday in the trunk of his car parked on a lonely road off U. S. 66 near Plainfield, 70 miles southwest of here. He was 28.

He had been tortured, strangled, and shot twice through the head. His navy blue gaudy suit was torn and mud-soaked. Authorities believed he had been tied to the bumper of the car and dragged along a gravel road.

They lay on a morgue slab in his "ultimate destination" during a long career of banditry and racketeering that began when he was a kid in Chicago's West Side slums.

Bill County Coroner E. A. Kingston said a piece of heavy cord had been yanked tightly about Smyth's throat. Tape marks over his face showed that he had been gagged.

At the time he was taken for the one-way ride, Smyth was out on \$55,000 bond as a member of the "Tunnel Gang," a band of hold-up artists which had preyed on currency exchanges and hand-books in the Chicago area.

The gang's leaders, Nick Lococo, 37, and Harry Wagner, 49, have been convicted in connection with the robberies. They also are under indictment for the murder of Otto

Freund, wealthy executive, in his Wilmette mansion, in 1946.

The gang gave up handbooks about two years ago when it was reported, the Chicago gambling syndicate let it be known that the bandits might be in for trouble if they raided any more syndicate holdings.

Recently, however, Smyth was reported to be planning hold-ups in keeping their area free of the Tunnel Gang's depredations, chased Smyth and another gangster, Raymond Auburn, last June. The Chicago bandits' car overturned and Auburn was killed. Smyth escaped with slight injuries.

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said, of whether he was given the final treatment by Chicago of downstate hoodlums.

The Tunnel Gang gained its name because of its method of burrowing through walls to gain entry into currency exchanges and bookies.

Clock Inventor  
Pope Sylvester It is credited with the invention of the first clock in 996 A.D. They did not come into general use in Europe, however, until the 13th century.

## A SINCERE STATEMENT

Upon the advice of sincere friends all over the county who are interested in my race for Circuit Clerk, I am making this statement to the voters regarding the position of Deputy in the Circuit Clerk's office.

I have not made or even discussed making, any promise to any living person, either to accept the position of Deputy, or to appoint any particular person to the job.

My opponent has repeatedly stated that he is going to make me his Deputy when he is elected. I appreciate the compliment but this statement has caused some people to believe that the job has already been promised me. This is not true. The fact is that I intend to win the race and be your next Circuit Clerk — not Deputy. I have served you a number of years as Deputy and am asking to be promoted.

To the many people who are helping me in this race because they believe I am deserving and qualified I want to say "Thanks a Million."

Sincerely,

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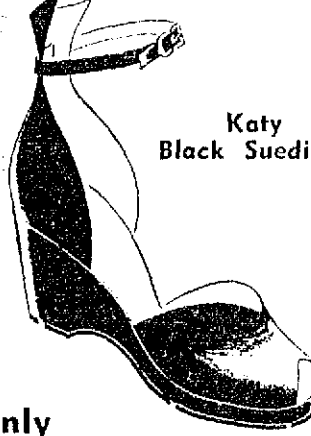
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## Widow Remains in Home of Millionaire

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 4.—(AP)—Doris Furst, red-haired, Houston, Tex., skating star, rounded out a week today of "roughing it" alone in the 3100,000 mansion of the man she says is the father of the child she expects in November.

Mrs. Furst, 24-year-old widow, got up at 9 a. m. to see who was pumping at the back door of the nine-room mansion. She let in the usual swarm of reporters.

Then she lounged around the 16-by-30 foot living room of the hill-top home of Joseph Bancroft, head of a steel manufacturing company which makes enormous windows and children's toys. The floor was covered with an orchid velvet carpet. In one corner was a \$1,400 television set, in another a grand piano with carved walnut legs.

Adjoining the living room was the library with an electric organ in one corner and most of the shelves lined with standard "sets" of books. One section of the bookcase was covered with heavy cardboard painted to resemble rows of books.

From behind a couch Mrs. Furst picked a gift frame from which a picture had been ripped.

"I wonder who could have thrown this picture away?" she asked.

Bancroft moved out when she moved in a week ago with the announcement that she was going to sit there until her baby was born.

Mrs. Furst is fed by newspaper reporters and photographers. The neighbors bring her food, too, she said. Bancroft had the telephone removed. He also had the electricity shut off, which stopped operation of the refrigerator and electric range.

"It didn't make much difference because I can't cook," Mrs. Furst said. "I'm pretty good at opening a can."

She laid in a good supply of candles, but she locks the door and goes to bed shortly after dark.

## Dixiecrats Counting on 24 Votes

By JOSEPH NOLAN

United Press Staff Correspondent

The Dixiecrats counted 24 electoral votes in the bag today in their bid to throw the presidential election into the House of Representatives where the South could lose its weight around.

Mississippi electors are the latest to pledge their support to the States Rights ticket for Gov. J. Strom Thurmond of South Carolina and Gov. Fielding Wright of Mississippi. The state has nine votes.

The Dixiecrats are hoping to get 133 electoral votes in the South and 43 in the "border" states. If they can deprive President Truman of the South's votes and if the Republicans fail to get a majority of the 531 ballots, then the House would decide the issue.

In addition to Mississippi's nine votes, the Dixiecrats have been assured of 11 from Alabama and at least four from Florida. They are counting on support, too, from North Carolina (14) and Louisiana (10).

The Dixiecrats' strategy is to try to get state conventions to reconvene and name new slates of presidential electors pledged to the "Thurmond-Wright ticket."

Thurmond will formally open his campaign a week from today at Houston, Tex. After that he and his running mate will speak all over the South as well as in some Northern and Midwestern states.

In other political developments, Dewey, if elected, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York, the Republican presidential nominee, reportedly will recommend a complete reorganization of the State Department.

Dewey is said to favor an extension of "trading" diplomatic corps. He believes that the nation should employ about 1,000 young career diplomats to serve an apprenticeship in various state department posts throughout the world. Dewey reportedly has talked over these changes with John

## DOROTHY DIX Chatterboxes

From time to time letters come to this column from husbands complaining that their wives' constant chatter gets on their nerves. They protest that they are practically talked to death and they long for silence.

Well, of course, one does get tired of the brook that bubbles on and on forever without ever stopping, but better the one who talks too much than the one who doesn't talk at all. I wonder if these men ever have lived in the house with one of those silent, self-contained people who never make a conversation, or make an observation, or a comment, or say a word that you don't have to drag out of them with a corkscrew?

They are about as companionable as a stone image would be, and they worry you because you know what they are thinking, or what they want to do, or whether they are pleased or displeased. You finally get to the point where you can hardly restrain yourself from sticking pins and needles in them to see if you can get any human reaction out of them.

**Expect Conversation**

The majority of men much prefer the talkative woman to the silent one. They expect women to keep the conversation running, and when they don't, they are thinking, or what they want to do, or whether they are pleased or displeased. You finally get to the point where you can hardly restrain yourself from sticking pins and needles in them to see if you can get any human reaction out of them.

Of course, if a man is married to a woman who has nothing to say is avoided by men as if she had some physical deformity.

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The happy homes are not those by those who chatter little and who chirp like a canary in a cage, the sort of women who know everything that is happening in the neighborhood, and who can't go down the street without seeing something funny and interesting out of which they can make a good story to tell at dinner.

The main thing that is the matter with domestic life is there isn't enough conversation in it. Whenever you can find a family in which the husband and wife can talk endlessly together, you will find a happy one and one in which there is no danger of the husband getting tired of his wife.

However, maybe some wives do talk too much. I'll admit that there are times when we all crave bursts of eloquent silence, but even so, better too much talk than no talk at all.

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Poster Dulles, his foreign policy adviser and his probable choice for secretary of state.

Labor CIO and A. F. L. spokesmen said a Connecticut judge's recent decision, upholding the Taft-Hartley act's ban on political expenditures will have no effect whatsoever on their plans to campaign for a labor law Congress CIO President Philip Murray said he was planning a new test of the ban's constitutionality.

Virginia—Democratic Sen. A. Willis Robertson won renomination in the state's primary. He defeated James P. Hart, Jr., of Danville.

Democratic victors in races for Congressional nominations included Reps. J. Vaughan Gray, and Howard W. Smith, and Mayor Clarence Burton of Lynchburg. In Virginia, the Democratic nomination is tantamount to election.

Missouri—Democratic and Republican organization candidates were generally the victors in the state's primaries. In the race for the gubernatorial nomination, Republican Murray E. Thompson and Democrat Forrest Smith won easily. In the Fifth Congressional district, where President Truman won yesterday morning, Richard Belline of Kansas City, Democrat, won the right to oppose incumbent Republican Rep. Albert A. Reeves in November.

Kansas—Former Gov. Andrew Schoepel won the Republican nomination for senator in yesterday's primary. He will run against former U. S. Sen. George McGill, a Democrat, for the seat being vacated by veteran Sen. Arthur Capper. Gov. Frank Carlson coasted to the Republican nomination in a second term. Most incumbent Congressmen, all Republicans, won renomination. But Rep. Wm. Smith had a close fight on his hands in the sixth district.



Thursday p.m., Aug. 5  
5:00 Merit's Record Session—M  
5:15 Superman—M  
5:30 Adventure Parade  
5:45 Tom Mix—M  
5:50 Kenneth G. Crawford—M  
6:15 News, Five Star Edition  
6:25 Gulf Sports Parade  
6:30 News Comment—M  
6:45 Olympic Championship—M  
6:55 Musical Interlude  
7:00 Meet Your Lucky Partners  
7:15 Talent Jackpot—M  
7:30 Billy Rose—M  
8:00 Gabriel Heatter—M  
8:15 Mutual Newsreel  
8:30 Jack Holt, can. for gov.—M  
8:45 Family Theatre—M  
9:00 Bill McGuire's Orch.—M  
9:15 All the News—M  
9:30 Barclay Hutton's Orch.—M  
10:00 Dick Jurgens's Orch.—M  
10:15 Mutual News  
10:30 Sign Off

Friday a.m., August 6  
5:30 Sign On  
5:45 Hillbilly Hoedown  
6:00 Bargain Roundup  
6:15 News, First Edition  
6:30 Four Knights  
6:45 Market Reports  
6:50 Farm Breakfast Program  
7:00 Melody Boys  
7:15 Devotional Hour  
7:30 Musical Clog  
7:45 News, Coffee Cup Edition  
8:00 Sunrise Serenade  
8:30 Slogan Parade  
8:45 Ozark Valley Folks—M  
8:55 According to the Record  
9:00 Cecil Brown, News—M  
9:15 Faith in our Time—M  
9:30 Say It With Music—M  
9:45 Passing Parade—M  
10:15 Tell Your Neighbor—M

10:30 Heart's Desire—M  
11:00 Kate Smith Speaks—M  
11:15 John B. Kennedy—M  
11:30 Present Hour  
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12:00 News, Home Edition  
12:10 Market Time  
12:15 Song of the Day  
12:30 Polka Interlude  
12:35 Farm Fair  
1:00 James Macgregor  
1:15 Rev. B. Maddox—M  
1:30 Bob Poole's Show—M  
2:30 Woody & Virginia—M  
2:45 Carnival of Music  
3:00 Robert Hurlough—M  
3:15 The Johnson Family—M  
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Washington, Aug. 4 — (UP) — The Agriculture Department said today that in order to keep potato prices up, it has bought 13,000,000 bushels so far this year at a cost of about \$19,000,000.

The department is compelled by law to support the price of potatoes. The program was scheduled to die at the end of 1948 but Congress extended it another year in modified form.

The largest bridge in Paris is the Pont Alexandre III, over the Seine.

# Prescott News

Thursday, August 5  
City League football games Prescott Motor vs Ozon; Prescott Hawks vs Prescott will be played at Cummins Field Thursday at 7:45 p.m.

Saturday, August 7  
Saturday evening in church recreation night at the First Baptist church.

Sunday, August 8  
The Presbyterian Hour can be heard each Sunday morning at 7:30 EST over WFAA Dallas and WOAI San Antonio, Texas.

Woman's Auxiliary Circle  
Met at Home of Mrs. Buchanan. The circle of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Verdon Buchanan. Roses and zinnias decorated the Buchanan home.

The circle chairman, Mrs. J. I. McCartney, opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. McCartney presided over the business session.

Mrs. Tom Bemis presented an interesting program on "Wisdom of the Wise" taken from the Psalms of David. The Bible study was followed by a round table discussion from the Survey on "Negro Work in the Program of Progress."

After an exchange of gifts from the Southern Baptist ice cream and cake were served for Mrs. Emond Logan, Mrs. S. O. Logan, Mrs. Cassie McCaslin, Mrs. E. P. Hamby, Mrs. J. I. McCartney, Mrs. T. C. Mc-

Rac, Jr., Mrs. W. R. White, Mrs. Walter Hurst, Mrs. E. L. Case, Mrs. Tom Bemis, Mrs. Max Freeman, Mrs. W. G. Bensberry and Mrs. Allen Gee Sr.

Mrs. Thomas Grayson was a circle guest.

The meeting was adjourned with benediction prayers.

Circle 3 of W.S.C.S.  
Met Monday Afternoon  
Circle 3 of the W.S.C.S. of the First Methodist church met on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Roy Dyer. The summer flowers decorated the room.

Mrs. Everett Ray Ward, circle chairman, presided over the business session.

Mrs. A. V. Boob gave an inspiring presentation on "Christ, the ongoing Companion of our Way."

Mrs. Ward presented the program for the afternoon on the topic "Thy Way in Puerto Rico."

During the social hour punch and cookies were served to Mrs. Jim Woodall, Mrs. Phyllis Yarn, Mrs. W. H. Durbin, Mrs. Clifford Wynne, Mrs. John Munn, Mrs. Dobb and Mrs. Ward.

Mrs. Regan and Mrs. Moberg Hostess to Circle 1, W.S.C.S.  
Circle 1 of the W.S.C.S. of the First Methodist church met Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Doug Regan with Mrs. Russell Moberg co-hostess.

Mrs. Regan, circle chairman, presided over the business meeting.

Mrs. Floyd Haman had charge of the devotional using as her subject "Christ the Ongoing Companion of our Way."

Mrs. Lige Martin gave the program on "Thy Way in Puerto Rico."

Mrs. Charlie Scott, Mrs. Hunter Scott, Mrs. Lillian Smith, Mrs. M. D. Shell, Mrs. A. Craig, Mrs. Lige Martin, Mrs. E. E. Shell, Mrs. Floyd Haman and Mrs. Lige Martin were served ice cream and cookies during the social hour.

Arrangements of zinnias and bachelor buttons decorated the room.

Margaret and James Roy Phillips Honored With Birthday Party  
Mrs. Leroy Phillips entertained on Saturday afternoon with a party for the pleasure of her daughter, Margaret, and her son, James Roy who were celebrating their birthday anniversaries.

Mrs. Phillips was assisted in catering for the guests by Mrs. Clifton Yancey.

James Roy and his guests: Billy Louiss, Larry Sudberry, Dean May, Freddie White, George Cashman, Clive Henry, Johnny Yancey and Hody Butler Jr. enjoyed a show at the Gem theater after which they were served refreshments at James Roy's home and given western comic books as favors.

Margaret and her guests: Phyllis Britt, Shelia Jean Williams, Kathryn Sue Lemmerhirt, Julia Smith, Margie McDaniel, Jo Ann Bragat, Shirley May, Mary Yancey, Amelia Harrell, Glenette Carroll, Margaret Hunter Scott, Betty Red Wilson, Mary Buchanan, Alar Juncelle Herring, Shirley Anderson, and Sue Chesser of Junction Texas, enjoyed a show at the Nevada theater after which they were also served ice cream and cake at Miss Phillips' home and given jacks and balls as favors.

Childs-Bentzen Marriage Solemnized  
Mrs. L. M. Childs of Arkadelphia, formerly of Prescott, announces the marriage of her daughter, Benegene to Brooks Lynn Benton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Benton of Cafe.

The ceremony was solemnized in the home of the bride, Mrs. D. D. Darch, pastor of the Central Baptist church on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, July 31.

The bride was lovely in a white romantic erupe dress with white accessories. Miss Billy Mae Bevert

was the bride's only attendant. The mothers of the bride and groom were also present.

Mrs. Benton is a graduate of Prescott High School. Mr. Benton is a graduate of Cafe High School and served in the United States Navy three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton will be at home in Houston, Texas, where Mr. Benton is employed by the telephone Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Redfern, Route 1, visited in Prescott on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Moore have returned from a vacation trip in Tennessee and Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Mann Kennedy and son Teddy Joe have returned to their home in Springhill, La. after visit with relatives.

Mrs. P. H. Herring has returned home after a visit with her son, Herman Herring.

Miss Kitty Smith returned home Tuesday night after a visit with Jim Kaylor and his parents in Houston, La.

Miss Eloise Hudson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hudson in Bartlesville, Oklahoma.

Tom Bemis is attending a real estate seminar in Fayetteville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Woodul have had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Green and son John of Little Rock.

Walter McCain has returned to his home in Sheridan after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McCain.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. McRae, Jr. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Van Culpepper in McAllen, Texas. They will be accompanied home by Mrs. D. L. McRae Sr. who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Culpepper and Mr. Culpepper.

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Braised Round Steak  
Mashed Potatoes  
Battered Green Peas  
Cabbage Slaw  
Sliced Bread  
Butter or Margarine  
Fruit Icebox Pie (recipe below)

**Fruit Icebox Pie**

Prudent: August 7, 1948

9-oz. can crushed pineapple  
1/2 cup strawberry gelatin  
1 1/2 cups powdered sugar  
1/4 teaspoon salt

1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1/2 cup Pot Milk  
1 cup graham cracker crumbs  
1/4 cup soft butter or margarine  
2 eggs, separated

Drain pineapple, saving juice. Add enough water to juice to make 1/4 cup. Heat to boiling. Stir in gelatin until dissolved. Add pineapple, 1/4 cup powdered sugar, the salt and lemon juice. Chill until thoroughly cold; then stir in milk. Chill until syrupy. Meanwhile, grease a deep 9-in. pie pan. With back of spoon, press 1/4 cup crumbs on bottom and sides of pan. Put butter into bowl; work remaining 1 cup of powdered sugar into butter. Beat in egg yolks. Spread carefully over crumbs in pan. Chill. Fold stiffly beaten egg whites into syrupy gelatin mixture. Pour into prepared pan. Sprinkle remaining 1/4 cup crumbs over top. Chill until firm.

You Will Need:

Pot Milk 2 lb. 31c  
Crushed Pineapple No. 2 can 37c  
Strawberry Gelatin 3 pkgs 27c  
Sunkist Lemons Doz. 40c  
Crisp Lettuce Head 13c  
Green Cabbage lb. 6c

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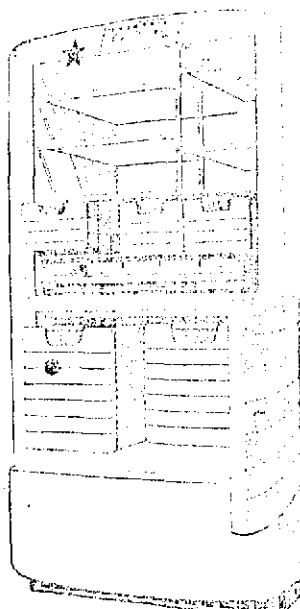
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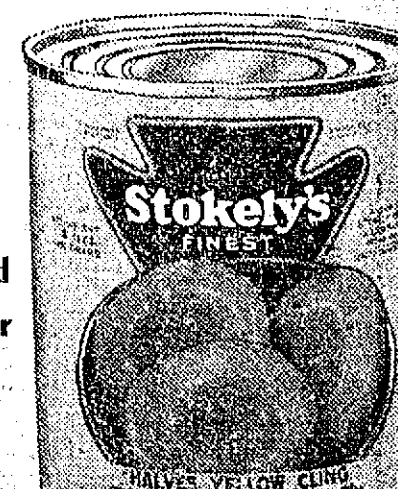
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## Fair Enough

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New York, Aug. 4 — In his opening speech of the 1948 campaign devoted to the joint session of Congress, President Truman said the special immigration law, called the Displaced Persons Act, discriminated unfairly against some displaced persons because of their religion, land or origin or occupation. This law would admit 200,000 persons and charge them against future quotas. He wanted to admit 400,000 "outside the normal immigration quotas."

In the same speech, Mr. Truman said "we desperately need more housing at lower prices, especially 'rental-housing and low-rent housing.'"

Most of the immigrants would settle in the cities of New York and Chicago where the housing situation already is so bad that many native Americans are either homeless or forced to double up. The plight of the veteran of the second world war is emphasized for emotional political effect, although he is presumed to have done no more than his duty and the veteran of the first world war has an equally valid claim to subsidies if any are going. It only confuses the issue to give prominence to the veteran. The American citizen is the one who deserves first chance at the housing and no immigrant should be considered until the last American has been accommodated. Of course, he will be considered first and whoever ventures to quote the constitution to the effect that our purpose is to promote our own general welfare and "secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity" invites the savage abuse of alien-minded propagandists who will call him a Fascist.

During their convention, the Democratic orators said the present anti-Catholic and anti-Jewish laws, then prominent Catholic clergy have repudiated the Democrats on that issue and two Catholic congressmen, Fellows, of Maine, and Lesinski, of Michigan, have agreed.

The question whether the present act does discriminate against Jews can't even be argued, still less decided, because there exists today in all fields of debate in the United States an absolute verbiage against the subject. It can't even be mentioned and therefore decisions are being made many of them arbitrarily or under duress, which may one day come to adjustment by impatient demand.

We don't know whether it is true that the present law discriminates against persons who are arbitrarily and politically classified as Jews. But we have high authority for the information that during the years of the flight from Hitler discrimination was practiced in favor of many thousands of fugitives who otherwise probably would have perished. There was no protest against this discrimination at that time either from those who now complain or from the American relatives of other religious groups of European hostages who gave up their turns to escape so that "non-Aryans" might be rescued. Presumably many of those Catholics, protestant and irreligious hostages later lost their lives. They were in the position of the men aboard a sinking ship who give up their places in a lifeboat to women and children, the ailing and the old.

The subject of immigration is emotional but must not be shirked for convenience or cowardice. John C. Knox, the senior federal judge and a man regarded as a great liberal, has written honestly from his own long, intimate experience in the naturalization courts. He has no illusions about the idealism of immigrants. The motives which he attributes to most of them are selfish and sordid. The children of immigrants are no more idealistic on the average and there was a rush of naturalization cases early in the Roosevelt reign by old-time greenhorns who wanted to become citizens after living here many years only to qualify for relief. Their children put them through the mill not for any pretty reasons but to dump on the government of the United States their filial duty to care for their parents.

In the Redbook of June of this year, John Edgar Hoover said a man with no illusions about anything, write that 4,565 members of a group of 5,395 Communists investigated by his F.B.I. were either (a) foreign born, (b) themselves (b) married to immigrants or (c) born of immigrant parents. The larger proportion in any such group of Communists will be persons who were born abroad. Anti-American Communists in Henry Wallace's New York following are immigrants from territory now Russian. We get a very high proportion among immigrants admitted to the United States of traitors and seditionists.

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Teams to be represented in this district: Hot Springs, Hope, Camden, Magnolia, Benton, Arkadelphia, Gordon and Bigelow.

The team has finished a regular season of fifteen games, winning eleven and losing four.

Members of the squad for the tournament play: Buddy Sutton, Gary Anderson, Gordon Beasley, Mitchell LaGrone, Jamie Russell, W. H. Gunter, Edsel Nix, Sam Westbrock, Charlie Wilson, Bobby Harris, John McLeod, William Martin, Bill Gunter, and Jim Edwards.

## Merchants Take Another Play Again Tonight

With Mutt Ferguson and Roy Taylor both right on the mound, the hard hitting Hope Merchants collected 11 safeties to take an 8 to 2 victory over the Texarkana Junior College last night.

Stanford went in to relieve Ferguson in the fifth but couldn't hold the Texarkana boys and Roy Taylor relieved Stanford with one out in the fifth. Taylor went the rest of the way pitching a no-hitter and striking out 4.

Taylor who is batting .670 for the tournament, got 2 for 4 last night including a home run and a triple that he tried to stretch into another home run and was thrown out at home plate. Foy Hammons got 2 for 3 and Buddy White got 2 for 4. Every Hope man showed plenty of hustle and gave the Hope moundmen a good beating.

Tonight the Merchants will take on the Realtors at Springlake Park at 8:30. There was an announcement made last night that it would be played at Brantley but this was a misunderstanding. Since there is no broadcasting hookup at Springlake Park there isn't much possibility of KXAR bringing this game to the Hope fans.

The fourth round of the tournament will be played Friday night with the finals being played Saturday and Sunday.

## Fights Last Night

By The Associated Press  
New York — Roy Edwards, 130, New York, stopped Jerry McKler, 135 1-2, Detroit, 3.

Rochester, N. Y. — John Flynn, 214 3-4, Rochester, outpointed Len Matricini, 208 1-2, Baltimore, 10.

By United Press  
Scranton, Pa. — Billy Kilroy, 157, Paterson, N. J., stopped Charley Dick, 152, Dalton, Pa., 9.

Windsor, Ont. — Dominic Berardo, 170, Windsor, knocked out Jackie Boles, 174, Garfield, N. J., 2.

## Eat and Shout

The people of an Arabian community located in the mountains near Ras El Khelma gather in circles and howl lustily, under the direction of a leader, for five minutes after each meal.

among immigrants admitted to refuge with Leon Josephson, now doing a year in a federal prison for contempt of Congress, is a Communist who enjoyed all the advantages and protection of American citizenship.

He resided in the United States and abused that citizenship and betrayed this country to travel abroad as a spy against the Nazis, not in the interest of the United States but exclusively in the interest of Soviet Russia. The Eastern, German and Italian, the latter a political protégé of Eleanor the Great, were refugee conspirators who came here for safety. They would have stabbed the United States in the back, and tried. Of the 5,395 Communists dealt with in Mr. Hoover's report, more than half traced their origin to Russia or the Russian satellite countries. These are the native countries of most of the so-called displaced persons for whom it is now claimed that the people of the United States have a duty to give up their scant living quarters.

There never has been an honest discussion of the refugee question because the Roosevelt and Truman government and the Department of Justice under both presidents have absolutely refused to give the American citizens honest figures. Last year I got from the State Department an enormous table purporting to be a statement of the immigration figures and classifications during the refugee years. It could not be analyzed.

On Nov. 26, 1943, Breckinridge Long, an assistant secretary of state, formerly our ambassador in Rome, testified in secret before the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives. Among other startling things, some of them shocking in their brutal discrimination against certain groups of persecuted Europeans under Hitler, Long said that in the period from 1933 to 1939, "we had admitted as refugees from persecution in Germany, Austria and other places several hundred thousand of these people."

Now who were the persecuted Europeans, then? They were not Catholics or Protestants because Hitler treated those people comparatively well.

Recently there has risen a clamor for the admission of a special quota of needle workers. Such dishonesty will not make for mutual respect and confidence within the United States. We don't need needle workers more urgently than other kinds of workers. But the workers in lines which are undermanned are trying to exclude skilled immigrants to protect their own high wages.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By Hugh K. Fullerton, Jr.

By CHARLES XLEY  
(For Hugh Fullerton, Jr.)  
Chicago, Aug. 5 (AP) — This may be the last time for Boston's Billy Southworth and for Detroit's Lou Gehrig to play for their teams, but it's basketball time for Chicago's Abe Saperstein, the little round man who knows only two seasons: summer and basketball. Within three weeks Abe and his Harlem Globe Trotters will start practice for their 1948-49 season, fortified with a new star, Nathan "Sweetwater" Clifton, highest salaried player ever to play with the team.

Clifton, Chicago high school graduate, is 6 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 217 pounds. A superlative center, he can do more tricks with a basketball than a monkey can do with a peanut. Clifton, who served a three-year prison term in Europe, formerly played with the New York Rangers and Dayton, O., team. Saperstein is convinced Clifton will develop into the finest center in the game. He is 21.

While always operating as a Chicago team, Saperstein "traded" his club the Harlem Globe Trotters for easy identification as an all-Negro outfit. He builds his team from the nation's outstanding Negro college players after leaving late in the summer. The Trotters come under the heading of "homeless" wants because, although they represent Chicago, they're never here. They play everywhere else—Mexico, Hawaiian Islands, Cuba and in many cities and villages of the nation.

A season is usually 160 to 165 games. Last year the Trotters played 157, losing only five.

## Wilson, Lewis High Men in Skeet Shoot

Jim Wilson and G. B. Lewis were high men in the Wednesday's Skeet Shoot each breaking 50. Straights were shot by Bill Beaton, Sonny Griffin, Ross Wright, Geo. W. H. H. Barnes, G. B. Lewis, and Jim Wilson. Skeet shooters went the rounds during the afternoon.

Shot at 50  
Wilson, Jim . . . . . 50  
Lewis, G. B. . . . . 50  
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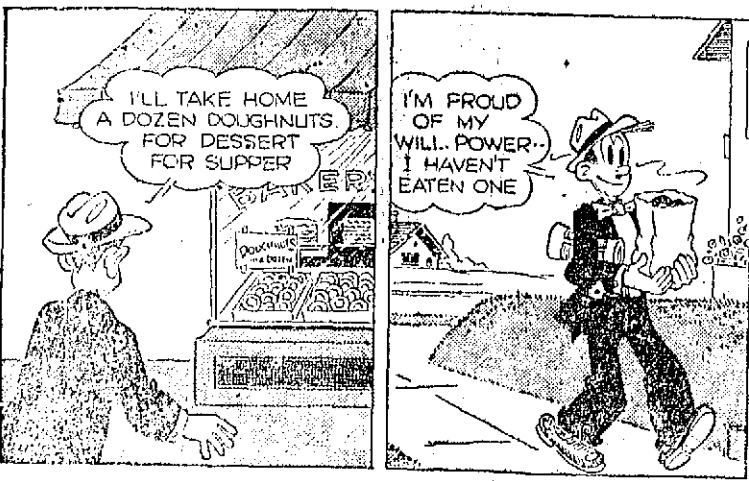
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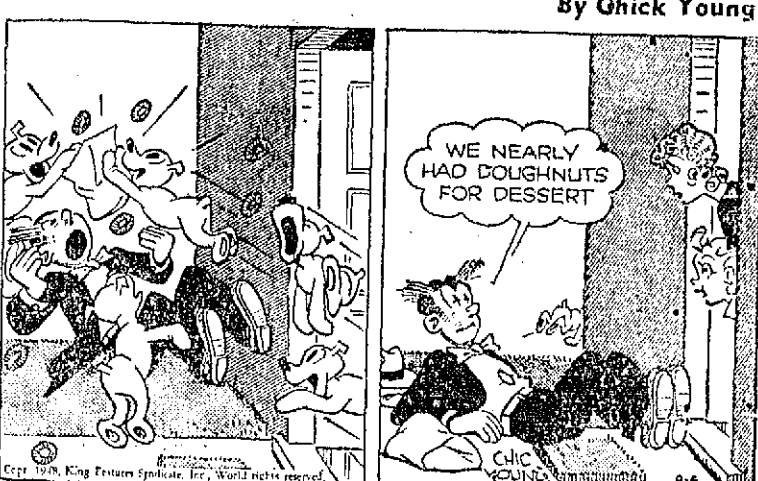
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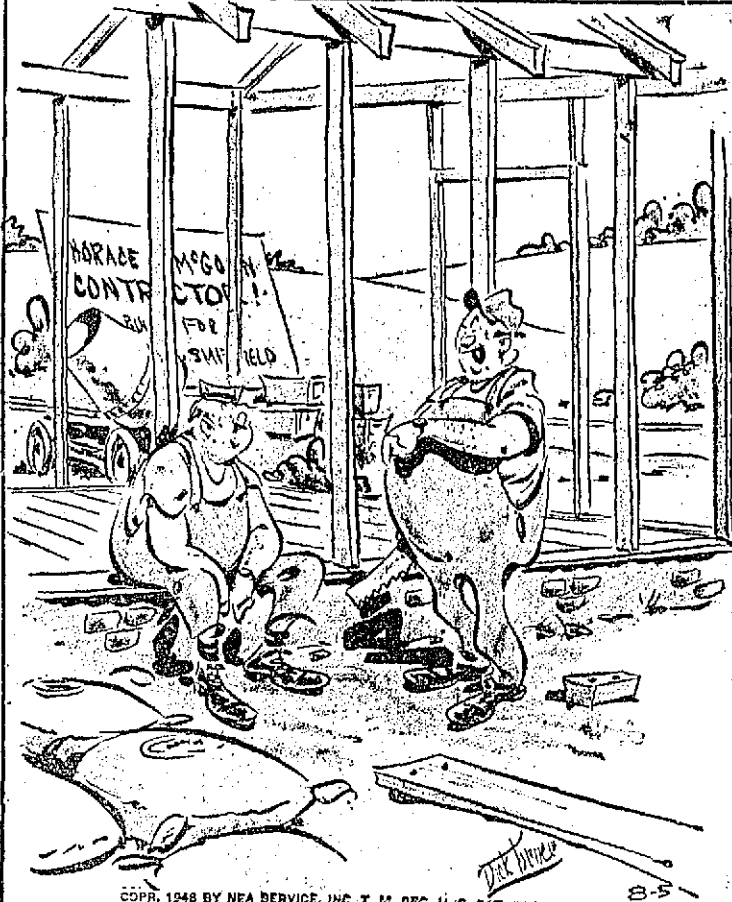
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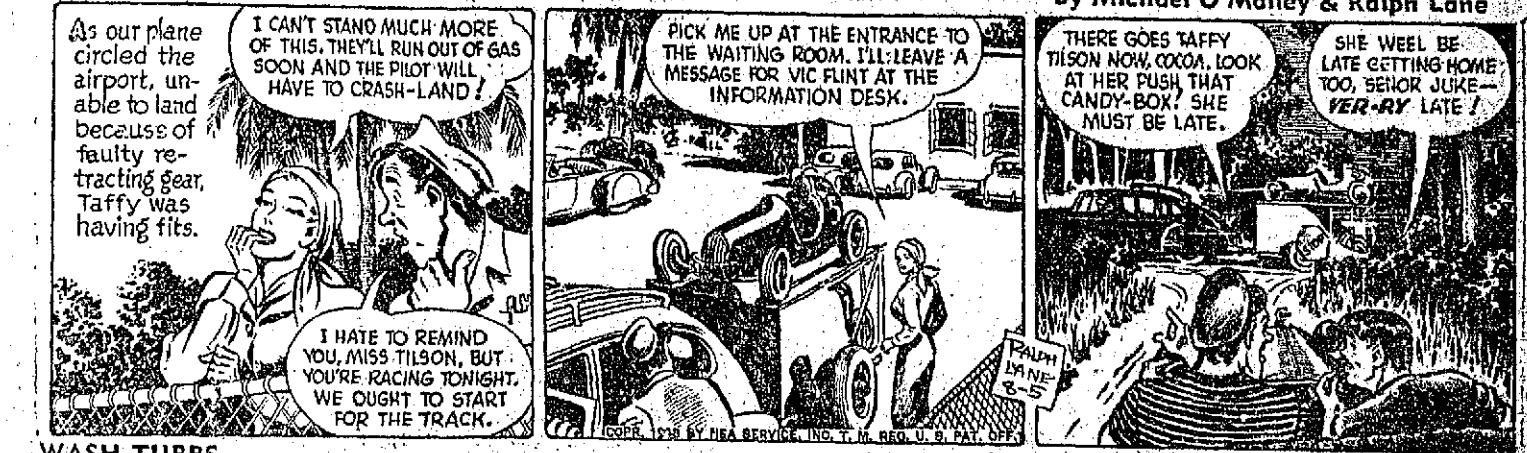
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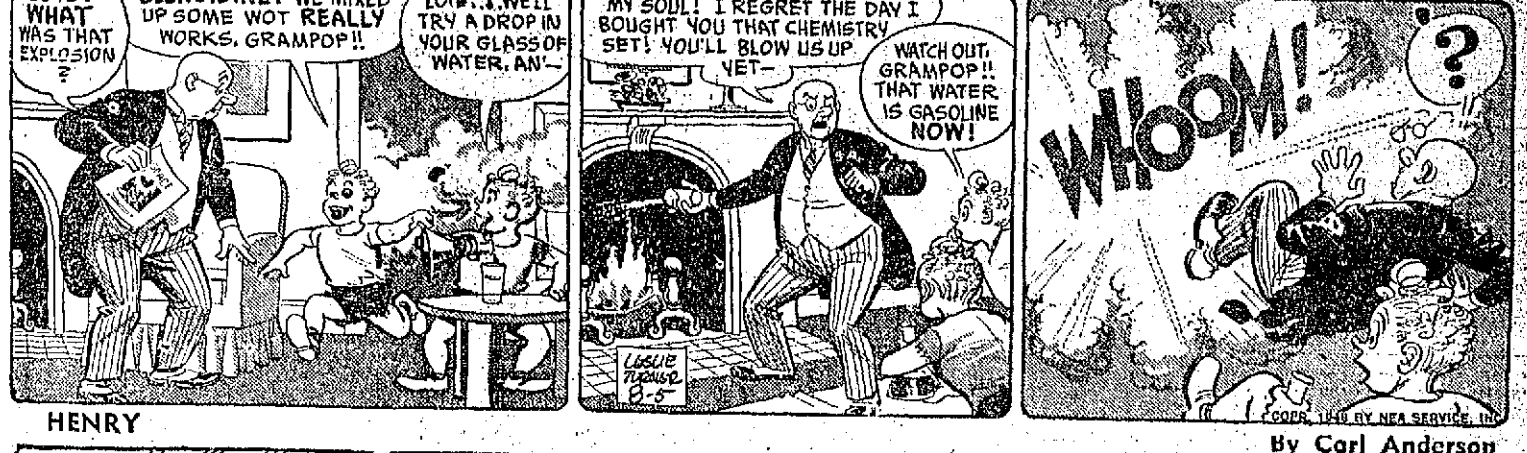
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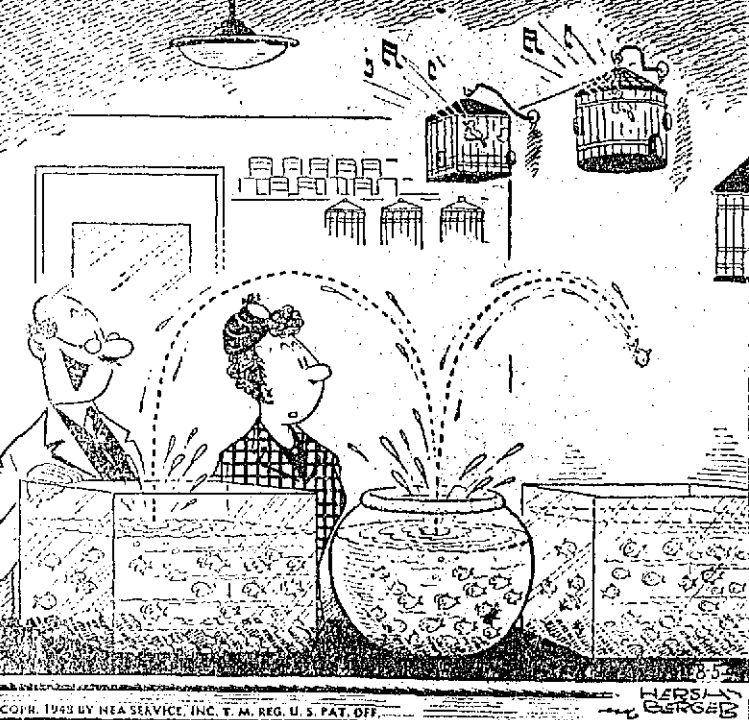
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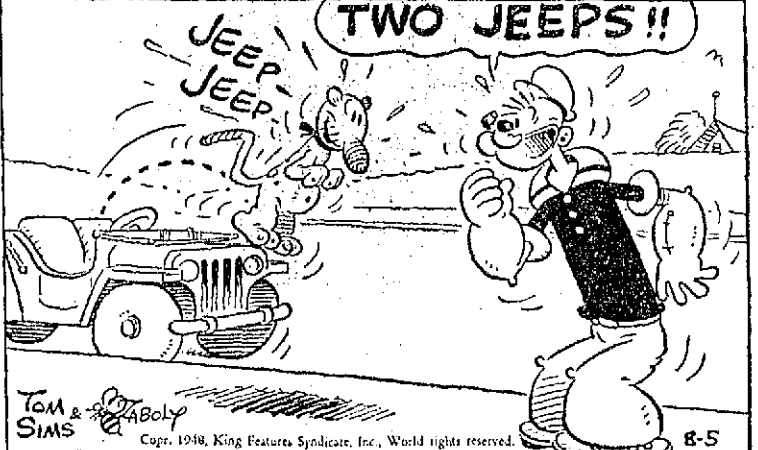
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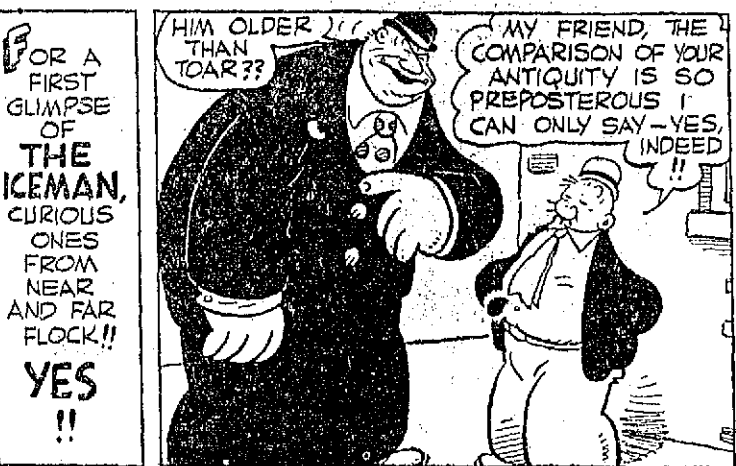
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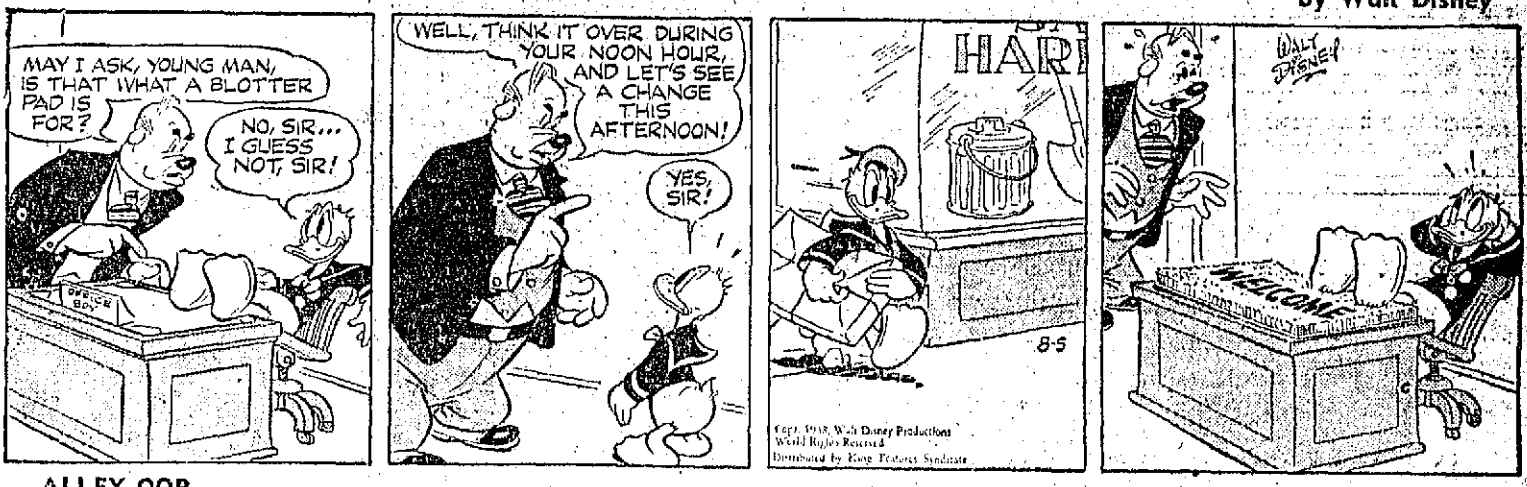


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### 38 Convicts Are Paroled by State Board

Little Rock, Aug. 5.—(AP)—Thirty-eight Arkansas convicts were granted paroles by the state parole board at its monthly meeting here yesterday.

The board recommended that Governor Laney commute sentences of three other prisoners. Those paroled included:

Edward Brown, Ouachita County, sentenced Jan. 12, 1948, for grand larceny and serving a one-year term.

Walter Chapman, Pulaski, Feb. 1, 1945, grand larceny and robbery, six years.

Billy Ford, Ouachita, Feb. 27, 1948, assault to kill, one year.

Reuben Gaines, Union, Sept. 18, 1947, grand larceny, two years.

Walter Green, Sebastian, Feb. 12, 1948, grand larceny, one year.

Evan Leon Hager, Sebastian, March 19, 1948, wife and child abandonment, one year.

James Hammon, Jefferson, Aug. 16, 1948, second degree murder, 21 years.

Robert E. Hamner, Greene, Oct. 25, 1947, forgery and uttering, two years.

Robert Jenkins, Phillips, Nov. 5, 1947, grand larceny and robbery, five years.

### Allied Peace Move Places Russia in Position Which Must Have an Answer

1947, grand larceny, two years.  
Fred Jones, Columbia, April 11, 1946, burglary, five years.

William Jones, Mississippi, Oct. 21, 1942, incest, 10 years.

John Wesley Kellum, Jefferson, June 27, 1947, grand larceny, two years.

Day Luffrell, Mississippi, Nov. 8, 1945, carnal abuse, four years.

Arthur Miller, Pulaski, Sept. 22, 1942, robbery, 15 years.

Curley Mosley, Union, Feb. 26, 1945, robbery, 10 years.

Russell Perry, Washington, Dec. 31, 1947, grand larceny, one year.

A. G. Rodgers, Jr., Phillips, Nov. 20, 1947, false pretense, two years.

Roland Smith, Clark, Oct. 30, 1947, forgery and uttering, two years.

Raymond Tate, Union, May 21, 1947, burglary and grand larceny, two years.

Robert Lee Wilson, Pulaski, June 11, 1946, burglary and grand larceny, five years.

By DeWITT MacKENZIE

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Merits of the direct approach to Stalin by the Western Allies, in an effort to settle the German crisis and pave the way for peace, remain to be seen.

America, Britain and France have made a peace overture. It was a dignified gesture, without the slightest suggestion of appeasement. Rejection would place Moscow in an unenviable position in the eyes of a world which is sick of wars and alarms.

Such a rebuff would provide a weighty argument if the Russian effort to starve the civilian population of Western Berlin by food blockade were brought before the United Nations with a call for punitive sanctions against such brutality. And after all, the Muscovites can't ignore world opinion entirely until they come a lot nearer to domination of the globe than they are now.

Last night's dramatic interviews in the Kremlin between Stalin and the envoys of the three great democracies were, of course, not decisive. They represent one more move in the maneuvering for position which will continue until the differences between the Bolsheviks and the Western Allies are settled in one way or another.

Pending that positive settlement the most we can hope for, as this column remarked last week, will be a truce.

The Russians, with their overpowering urge to conquer and communize the world, will never halt their drive until (1) They succeed, or (2) their aggressive crusade blows up in their faces. The second contingency could arise through revolt by the oppressed peoples who have been enslaved, or by another global war.

One can see certain advantages for both sides in a truce now. The democracies, for example, need time to get the Marshall Plan working so that Western Europe can defend itself against Red aggression.

Now would be the moment for Russia to push her drive if she were prepared for it—but she isn't. She also has her troubles, for it is becoming increasingly apparent that it's not all honey and flowers among the conquered states behind the iron curtain. There is much disaffection. Thus Moscow needs time to consolidate her ill-got gains. So far as Western Europe is concerned, Moscow has lost much of the strength she had acquired in Italy and France before Uncle Sam jumped into the breach with the Marshall Plan.

Then there's another aspect to the Russian position. Moscow recently has intensified its drive to communize the Far East and this offensive in many instances is in the nature of rebellious upheavals inspired by Red agents. An Asiatic Cominform (General Staff for World Revolution) has been established at Bangkok, Siam, for direction of activities in Burma, Indonesia, Siam, Korea and many other zones.

Intensification of activities in the Orient might fit in with a willingness to slack off in Europe, so as to avoid a general engagement on two fronts. However, that's a matter of speculation, since the Bolshevik strategy may contemplate taking the great risk of creating as widespread disorganization as possible.

So far as a European truce is concerned, undoubtedly much will depend on how strong Russia feels she is among the satellite states of Eastern Europe. There would seem to be where much of her danger lies.

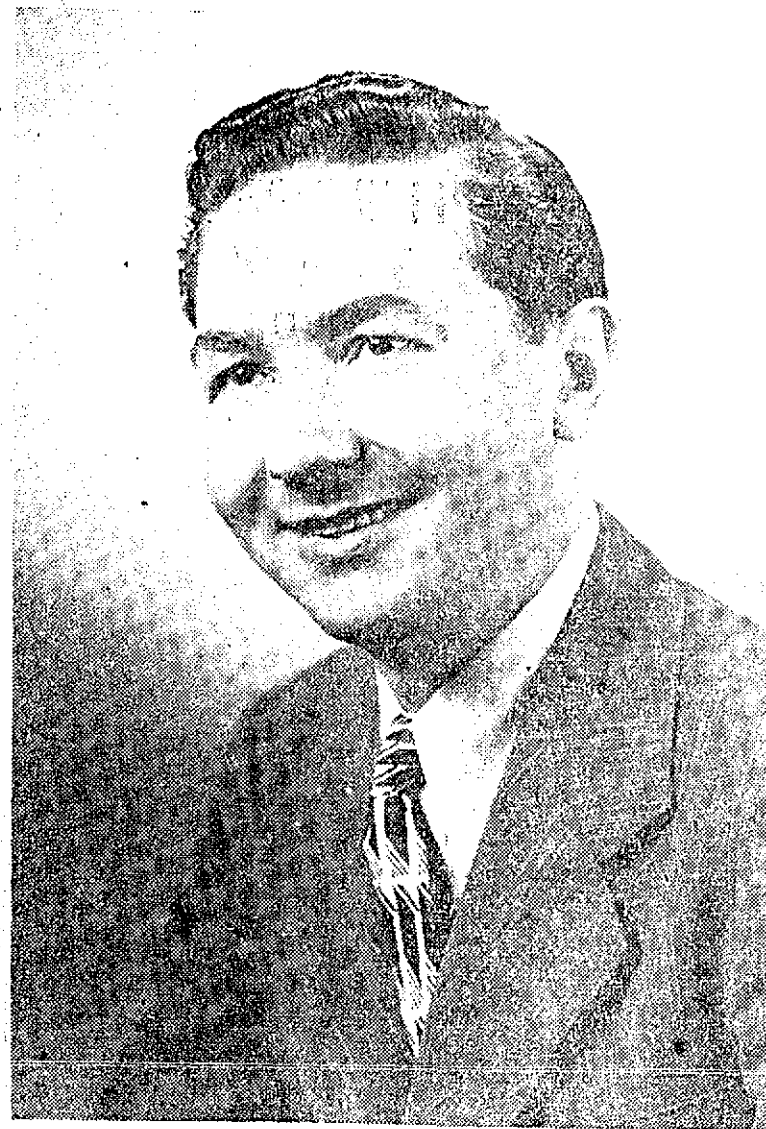
#### Legal Notice

**WARNING ORDER**  
No. 6856 In the Chancery Court of Hempstead County, Ark.  
Christine B. Riley, Plaintiff

vs.  
Hughie Riley, Defendant  
The Defendant, Hughie Riley, warned to appear in this court within thirty days and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff Christine B. Riley.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 4th day of August 1948.  
C. E. Weaver, Clerk  
(SEAL)  
Hon. John P. Vesey, Att'y for Plt.  
Hon. W. Kendall Lendley, Att'y Ad. Litem.  
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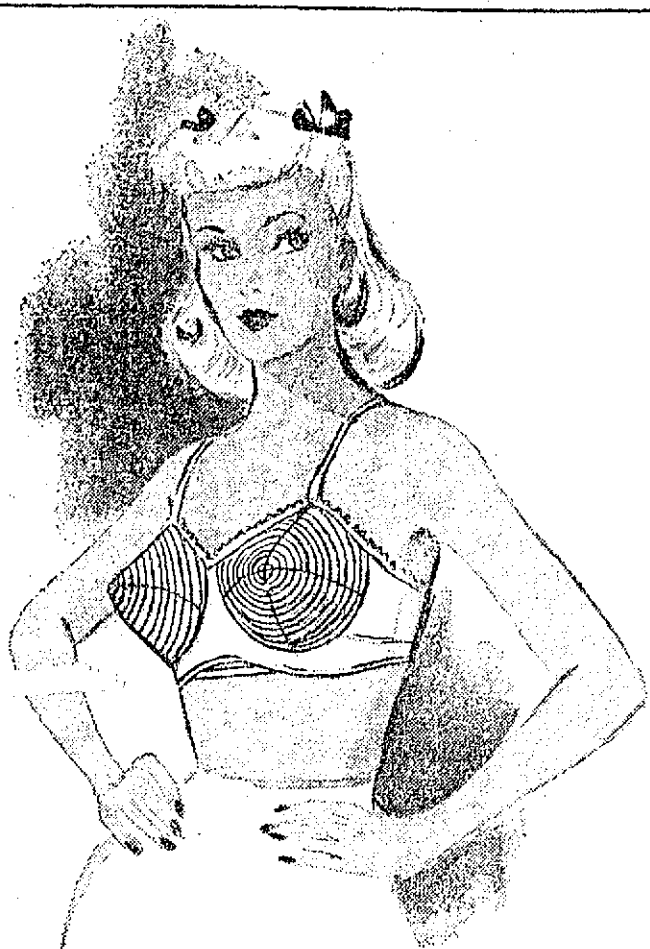
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